

FAMILY
HISTORY
GURTNER

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Descendants
Of
O. Bruce Gurtner

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2. In filling out this schedule decide first on your own place in the pedigree—father, mother, child, or the like, depending upon which place will give you the greatest number of connections. Make entry for yourself and then assign the other members of the family to their appropriate places. E. g., if you are a father of grown children enter yourself as "Father" and your wife as "Mother."

3. It is important to bear in mind that this record will be much more accurate and complete if consultation be had with the oldest living members of the family.

4. It is especially suggested that, after filling out this schedule, the person making the study interest other branches of his family in making similar records, in order that they may be articulated into a scientific genealogy—a record of natural inheritance within the pedigree.

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6. The data contained in these schedules will be used in the study of human heredity. It is expressly pledged that all information thus received will be held as confidential, and no names will be published.

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FATHER'S FATHER.

1. Full name Henry Lewis Gurtner 2. Date of birth Feb. 17, 1845
3. Birthplace: Town _____ State or Country Tulton Co. Ohio
4. Education _____ Favorite studies _____
5. Residences, principal Hamilton Indiana
6. Age at marriage _____ Total No. of sons 3 of daughters 5 Ages of those that died early, sons 2y daughters _____
7. Occupations at successive ages Farmer
8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth _____ In middle age _____
9. Grave illnesses in youth _____ in middle age _____
10. Surgical operations undergone _____
11. If dead, cause of death and age at death Old age - 86⁹ yr.
- 11a. State whether blood relative of wife, and if so, what none
12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc.
Good character. Fishing - Civil War Veteran

FATHER'S MOTHER.

1. Full maiden name Sarah Cummins 2. Date of birth July 13, 1848
3. Birthplace: Town _____ State or Country Steuers Co. Ind.
4. Education _____ Favorite studies _____
5. Residences, principal Thint & Hamilton Ind. Steuben County,
6. Date of marriage _____ Place of Marriage _____ Total No. of sons 2 of daughters 3
7. Occupations at successive ages Housewife
8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth _____ In middle age _____
9. Grave illnesses in youth _____ in middle age _____
10. Surgical operations undergone _____
11. If dead, cause of death and age at death 27 - (May 25, 1876 - Paralysis)
12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc. _____

MOTHER'S FATHER.

1. Full name John Fee 2. Date of birth May 20, 1846
3. Birthplace: Town Hamilton State or Country Steuben Co., Ind.
4. Education _____ Favorite studies _____
5. Residences, principal Farm
6. Age at marriage 25 Total No. of sons 3 of daughters 2 Ages of those that died early, sons _____ daughters _____
7. Occupations at successive ages Farmer
8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth _____ In middle age Rheumatism
9. Grave illnesses in youth _____ in middle age _____
10. Surgical operations undergone _____
11. If dead, cause of death and age at death Pneumonia 72
- 11a. State whether blood relative of wife, and if so, what none
12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc. Good Character

MOTHER'S MOTHER.

1. Full maiden name Juliette Cameron 2. Date of birth Feb. 6, 1848
3. Birthplace: Town Metz State or Country Steuben Ind.
4. Education _____ Favorite studies _____
5. Residences, principal Farm
6. Date of marriage Apr. 30, 1871 Place of marriage Hamilton Ind. Total No. of sons 3 of daughters 2
7. Occupations at successive ages Housewife
8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth _____ In middle age _____
9. Grave illnesses in youth _____ in middle age _____
10. Surgical operations undergone Gaiter
11. If dead, cause of death and age at death Pneumonia
12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc. Good Character. Fine mother

FATHER.

1. Full name David Peter Surtner 2. Date of birth Nov. 12, 1873
 3. Birthplace: Town Salem Center State or Country Steuben Co. Ind.
 4. Education 8th grade Favorite studies Farm problems
 5. Residences, principal Hamilton Ind.
 6. Age at marriage 28 Total No. of sons 3 daughters 3 Ages of those that died early, sons 1 daughters
 7. Occupations at successive ages Farmer
 8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth _____ In middle age Rheumatism
 9. Grave illnesses in youth _____ in middle age _____
 10. Surgical operations undergone _____
 11. If dead, cause of death and age at death _____
 11a. State whether blood relative of wife, and if so, what None
 12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc.
Good character, sports, Farming.

MOTHER.

1. Full maiden name Mildred Viola Fee 2. Date of birth March 19, 1872
 3. Birthplace: Town Hamilton State or Country DeWalt Co. Ind.
 4. Education grades - High school - 60 W. R. College Favorite studies Math. History
 5. Residences, principal Farm
 6. Date of marriage Dec. 29, 1901 Place of Marriage Hamilton Ind. Total No. of sons 3 of daughters 3
 7. Occupations at successive ages School teacher - Housewife
 8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth _____ In middle age _____
 9. Grave illnesses in youth _____ in middle age Heart trouble - Pneumonia
 10. Surgical operations undergone _____
 11. If dead, cause of death and age at death _____
 12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc.
Good character - Much interested in Family

Only the children of one pair of parents to be recorded below: for half-brothers and sisters ask for another blank schedule.
In the case of married women, give full maiden name.

CHILD No. 1.

1. Full name Olive Gurtner 2. Date of birth April 30, 1903
3. Birthplace: Town Hamilton State or Country De Kalb, Indiana
4. Education, kind B. S. Ed Favorite studies Hist - Math.
5. Residences, principal Farm - Butler Ind. 1932
6. If married, to whom Paul Wagner Date Sept 10, 1932 Number of children 1 son.
7. Occupations at successive ages School teacher - House wife
8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth none In middle age none
9. Grave illnesses in youth none in middle age _____
10. Operations undergone None
11. If dead, cause of death and age at death _____
12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc. Music.
Good Character - Reading.

CHILD No. 2.

1. Full name John Henry Gurtner 2. Date of birth June 22, 1905
3. Birthplace: Town Hamilton State or Country De Kalb, Indiana
4. Education, kind 8th grade Favorite studies _____
5. Residences, principal Farm
Apple Creek Feb. 1935 divorced
6. If married, to whom Talitha Martin Date Oct 30, 1937 Number of children 1 daughter
7. Occupations at successive ages Farmer.
8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth Pneumonia In middle age _____
9. Grave illnesses in youth Pneumonia in middle age _____
10. Operations undergone _____
11. If dead, cause of death and age at death _____
12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc. _____
Good Character - Sports.

CHILD No. 3.

1. Full name Oliver Bruce Gurtner 2. Date of birth Oct. 17, 1908
3. Birthplace: Town Hamilton State or Country De Kalb, Indiana
4. Education, kind 2 Yr. Normal Favorite studies History Mathematics
5. Residences, principal Hamilton + Waterloo Indiana
6. If married, to whom Luella Mae Duncan Date Sept 19, 1931 Number of children 2 sons *1 dau. deceased 6 d*
7. Occupations at successive ages School Teacher
8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth _____ In middle age none
9. Grave illnesses in youth none in middle age none
10. Operations undergone none
11. If dead, cause of death and age at death _____
12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc. Good Character. Sports - Woodworking.

CHILD No. 4.

1. Full name Mable Leone Gurtner 2. Date of birth Jan. 10, 1900
3. Birthplace: Town Hamilton Ind State or Country De Kalb Co Ind.
4. Education, kind Grads - High School Favorite studies Music
5. Residences, principal Farm, Hamilton Indiana
6. If married, to whom _____ Date _____ Number of children _____
7. Occupations at successive ages _____
8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth _____ In middle age _____
9. Grave illnesses in youth _____ in middle age _____
10. Operations undergone _____
11. If dead, cause of death and age at death 20 - Nervous breakdown.
12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc. Good Character - Sports - Music - Reading.

CHILD No. 5.

1. Full name Etta Erdene Luster 2. Date of birth Oct 25, 1911
3. Birthplace: Town Hamilton State or Country De Kalb Co. Ind.
4. Education, kind Grades 1-9 High School Favorite studies Music
5. Residences, principal Hamilton
6. If married, to whom _____ Date _____ Number of children _____
7. Occupations at successive ages _____
8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth _____ In middle age _____
9. Grave illnesses in youth _____ in middle age _____
10. Operations undergone _____
11. If dead, cause of death and age at death 16 17 yrs Release from mumps.
12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc. _____

CHILD No. 6.

1. Full name _____ 2. Date of birth _____
3. Birthplace: Town _____ State or Country _____
4. Education, kind _____ Favorite studies _____
5. Residences, principal _____
6. If married, to whom _____ Date _____ Number of children _____
7. Occupations at successive ages _____
8. Lesser diseases to which there was special liability: In youth _____ In middle age _____
9. Grave illnesses in youth _____ in middle age _____
10. Operations undergone _____
11. If dead, cause of death and age at death _____
12. Special tastes, gifts or peculiarities of mind or body. Character, favorite pursuits, amusements, etc. _____

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	FATHER'S FATHER.	FATHER'S MOTHER.	MOTHER'S FATHER.	MOTHER'S MOTHER.	FATHER.	MOTHER.	CHILD No. 1.	" 2.	" 3.	" 4.	" 5.	" 6.	" 7.	" 8.	" 9.	" 10.
SEX OF CHILD, F. Female, M. Male	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	F.	M.	M.	F.	F.					
Age for which description is given							37	35	33	17	20					
13. Adult or present height in inches (without shoes) or v. s. (very short), s. (short), m. (medium), t. (tall), v. t. (very tall).	m.	m.	m	m	69	65	66	70½	70½	m.	m.					
14. Adult or present weight, lbs. or s. (slender), m. (medium), c. (corpulent).	m		m	m	168	122	150	190	180	m	m.					
15. Color of hair (before graying) a. (albino, white), f. (flaxen), y.-br. (yellow-brown), l. br. (light brown), m. br. (medium brown), d. br. (dark brown), bl. (black), cl. r. (clear red), d. r. (dark red), d. br. r. (dark brown red).	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.					
16. Color of eyes. p. bl. (pale blue), d. bl. (dark blue), bl. br. (blue with brown spots), l. br. (light brown), d. br. (dark brown), bl. (black), y. bl. (yellow-blue, gray or green), r. br. (reddish brown). Note if color differs in the two eyes, dif. or if eyes constantly wander or twitch, tw.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.	bl.					
17. Complexion or skin color. bl. (blond), i. (intermediate), br. (brunette), d. br. (dark brown), n. (black, negro), y. (yellow), y.-br. (yellow-brown), r. br. (reddish brown).	i		bl	i	i	i	i	i	l.	bl	i					
18. General mental ability. 1. (poor; failure to advance at school). 2. (medium to good). 3. (exceptionally good).	2		2	2	2	3	2	1	2	2	2					
Special ability as below. Note: In each ability the grades to be as follows: 1. (poor), 2. (medium to good), 3. (exceptionally good).																
19. In vocal music. State, on margin, any professional performance.	2		1	2	2	1	2	1	1	2	2					
20. In drawing or coloring. State, on margin, examples of skill.	2						2	1	2	2	2					
21. In literary composition. State, on margin, titles of any publications.	1		1	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	2					
22. In mechanical skill. State, on margin, any invention.	2		2		2		1	1	2	1	1					
23. In calculating (c) or in mathematics (m).	2		1	2	2	3	2	1	2	1	2					
24. In remembering.	3		3	3	2	3	2	2	2	2	2					
25. General bodily energy. 1. (very inactive). 2. (ordinary). 3. (exceptionally energetic).	2		3	2	3	2	3	3	3	3	3					
26. Condition of sight. 1. (blind). 2. (imperfect; wears glasses). 3. (strong). State, on margin, nature of defect (if color blind, c. b.).	3		3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3					
27. Age when sight defect, if any, was acquired or, c. (congenital; born defective).	3															
28. Condition of hearing. 1. (deaf). 2. (defective). 3. (strong). State, on margin, nature of defect.	3		2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3					
29. Age when hearing defect, if any, was acquired. c. (congenital; born defective).			2													
30. Condition of speech. n. (normal), l. (lisp), s. (stammering), d. (dumb; speech unintelligible).	n.		n.	n.	n.	n.	n.	n.	n.	n.	n.					
31. Temperament. p. (phlegmatic, slow), s. (intermediate), n. (nervous, quick), p. n. (p. n.); p. i. (alternating in mood).	i		n.	i	i	i	n.	n.	i	n.	i					
32. Use of hands. a. (ambidextrous), l. (left handed), r. (right handed).	r		r	r	r	r	r	r	r	r	r					
Defects of bodily form as below. Mark (a, b, c, etc.) any that may be present.																
33. Birthmarks. State, on margin, kind, referring to a, b, c, etc.																
34. Hare lip (L) or cleft palate (P).																
35. Abnormal fingers or toes. Describe on margin.																
36. Other traits. Describe on margin.																
37.																

Give the data asked for (using figures or letters) in the blank spaces at the right. Enter the data in the proper column for grandparents (columns 1-4), parents (columns 5, 6), and children (columns 7-16).

If more than ten children, use an additional blank.

Fill out for Brothers and Sisters of Father and Mother. Also grandparents, first cousins and other relatives.

1. Surname	2. Given name	3. Place in Pedigree ¹	Address, if living	5. Year of birth	6. If dead, year of death	7. Cause of death	8. Adult height and weight	9. Married to	10. ² No. of sons of dau's	11. Diseases to which liable	12. Imperfections of sight or hearing	13. Mention below occupation and any special gift or striking quality of mind or body.
1. Guntzka	2. Delbert A.	3. Father's brother		5. Mar. 25, 1867	6. 1939	7. Dropsy - Heart trouble	8.	9. Maude Fouty.	10. 2 sons - 3 dau's	11.	12.	13. Good Character
1. Wolf	2. Minnie A.	3. Father's sister	4. Waterloo Ind.	5. Aug. 1, 1869	6. April 4, 1919	7. 5'6"	8. 5'3" - 105 lb.	9. Wm. Wolf. diseased	10. 1 son - 2 dau's	11.	12.	13. of the two daughters diseased
1. Arnold	2. Elsie May	3. Father's sister		5. April 9, 1870	6. April 4, 1919	7. Paralysis	8. Med. height + weight	9. Warren Arnold	10. 3 sons. 4 dau's.	11. (3 sons 4 dau's)	12. (3 sons 3 dau's)	13. Housewife Good Character.
1. Miller	2. Harriet E.	3. Father's sister		5. Aug. 24, 1875	6. 1936	7. Kidney trouble	8. 5'6" - 135 lb.	9. Ira Miller	10. 3 sons 1 daughter	11. (all married)	12.	13. Housewife Good Character
1. Fee	2. Abby Irene	3. Father's half sister	4. Terre Haute Ind.	5. Sept 20, 1878			8. 5'6" - 135 lb.	9. Shirley Fee	10. 1 son	11.	12.	13. Housewife Good Character
1. Forney	2. Ina	3. Father's half sister	4. Terre Haute Ind.	5. March 22, 1884			8. 5'6" - 145 lb.	9. Scott Forney	10. 3 sons 1 daughter	11. (all married)	12.	13. Teacher Housewife Good Character
1. Fee	2. Oliver	3. Mother's brother	4. Hamilton, Ind.	5. Sept. 2, 1874			8. 5'9" - 200 lb.	9. Dora Betts	10. 1 daughter 1 son	11. none	12. none	13. Farmer
1. Willenmar	2. Eda	3. Mother's sister	4. Hamilton Ind.	5. May 3, 1881			8. 5'8" - 180 lb.	9. John Willenmar	10. 2 sons	11.	12.	13. Housewife
1. Fee	2. Fay	3. Mother's brother	4. Hamilton Ind.	5. Nov. 24, 1878			8. 5'8" - 156 lb.	9. Ida Eberlin	10. none	11.	12.	13. Farmer.

Fill out for Brothers and Sisters of Father and Mother. Also grandparents, first cousins and other relatives. (Cont.).

Reference	1. Surname 2. Given name 3. Place in Pedigree ¹ 4. Address, if living	5. Year of birth 6. If dead, year of death 7. Cause of death 8. Adult height and weight	9. Married to 10. No. of sons of dau's 11. Diseases to which liable 12. Imperfections of sight or hearing	13. Mention below occupation and any special gift or striking quality of mind or body.
IO.	1. <i>Fee</i> 2. <i>Orlin</i> 3. <i>mother's brother</i> 4. <i>Hamilton, Ind.</i>	5. <i>Dec. 17, 1888</i> 6. 7. 8. <i>5' 200 lb.</i>	9. <i>Alice Renner</i> 10. <i>2 daughters</i> 11. 12. <i>Pneumonia</i>	13. <i>Good character School teacher Farmer.</i>
II.	1. <i>Hurtner</i> 2. <i>Freeman L.</i> 3. <i>Father's half brother</i> 4.	5. <i>March 22, 1880</i> 6. <i>May 22, 1881</i> 7. 8.	9. 10. 11. 12.	13.
I2.	1. 2. 3. 4.	5. 6. 7. 8.	9. 10. 11. 12.	13.
I3.	1. 2. 3. 4.	5. 6. 7. 8.	9. 10. 11. 12.	13.
I4.	1. 2. 3. 4.	5. 6. 7. 8.	9. 10. 11. 12.	13.
I5.	1. 2. 3. 4.	5. 6. 7. 8.	9. 10. 11. 12.	13.
I6.	1. 2. 3. 4.	5. 6. 7. 8.	9. 10. 11. 12.	13.

¹ Such as father's brother, mother's sister, father's mother's sister, father's sister's (Mary's) son, or, father's sister's (No. 3) son. Refer to the parent by means of its Reference No. printed on the margins of last two pages of this schedule.

² Please enter, in one of the above spaces, record of married children.

Persons who can and will volunteer to supply additional data may insert sheets of paper of same size as this for the purpose.

Note: Persons who have successfully filled out this schedule, and would like to expend the additional time and effort necessary to work out a more extensive analysis, are invited to correspond with the Eugenics Record Office in reference to the more detailed schedule "Family Distribution of Personal Traits." This latter is an indefinitely expandable, loose leaf system, each unit (Individual Analysis Card) of which provides for the personal history and a certain amount of analytical data concerning the mental, temperamental, and physical qualities of each member of the family tree. The aim of this schedule is to provide for a record of the usual genealogical type, with names, dates, and connections, and in addition a scientific record of natural inheritance such as will enable a student of heredity to evaluate the hereditary potentialities of a given member of the pedigree in a particular mating.

Extending Family Trees. Records will be sent to the above addresses in order to extend the family net-work, and thus make it more valuable to science and humanity.

